Remarks

This Reply is made in response to the *Ex parte Quayle* Office Action dated October 8, 2010. Claim 5 has been amended and claims 8 - 12 have been added to correspond with original claims 2 - 4 and 6 - 7. Support for the amendment to claim 5 is found in the Table bridging pages 5 and 6 of the specification.

Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application. The Examiner is requested to telephone applicants' attorney at the number listed below if it will advance the prosecution of this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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